

## ABSTRACT

A letter opener 10 is disclosed as including a body with a channel 42 allowing an envelope E to pass through, and a cutting blade 16 extending into the channel 42, in which the body and the cutting blade 16 are movable relative to each other to vary the position along the channel 42 at which the cutting blade 16 cuts the passing envelope E. At least part of the channel 42 is of a generally S shape.

{Fig. 1}